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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.114
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED
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PATENT

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Sir:

Please enter the following amendments and remarks as a submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 as part of a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). Claims 1-65 are currently pending.

In response to the Final Office Action mailed February 14, 2006 on the above referenced application, and the Advisory Action mailed May 8, 2006, a *Petition to Extend Time to Respond* from May 14, 2006 to June 14, 2006 is enclosed herewith. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

A **Listing of Claims** begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 22 of this paper.